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Westminster, March 20.

HIS Majesty came this Day to the House of Peers, and being in His Royal Robes, seated on the Throne with the usual Solemnity, Sir Charles Dalton, Gentleman-Usher of the Black Rod, was sent with a Message from His Majesty to the House of Commons, commanding their Attendance in the House of Peers; the Commons being come thither accordingly, His Majesty was pleased to give the Royal Assent to,

An Act for punishing Mutiny and Desertion, and for the better Payment of the Army and their Quarters.

An Act to encourage and compel George Robinson, *Esq; and* John Thompson, *to appear, and produce the Books, and discover the Effects of the Charitable Corporation for Relief of Industrious Poor, by assisting them with small Sums upon Pledges at legal Interest, and to be examined thereupon at the Times and Places therein mentioned.*

An Act for rebuilding the Parish Church of Woolwich, *in the County of* Kent, *as one of the Fifty new Churches, directed to be built by two Acts of Parliament, one made in the Ninth, and the other in the Tenth Year of the Reign of her late Majesty Queen* Anne.

Petersbourg, Feb. 26, *O. S.* Three or four Days ago a Courier arrived here from Constantinople, with Advice, that the Grand Signior's Army had taken the Town of Ardebel, which is very near the Province of Ghiland, belonging to the Czarina. It is thought that in case the Turks continue to gain so much Ground on the Persians, that this Court will at last be obliged to assist the Sophy, to prevent the Ottoman Porte from being too powerful in those Parts. Admiral Severs, a Dane by Birth, who was at the Head of the Admiralty of this Country, is now in Disgrace, and was dismissed her Majesty's Service some Days ago, as well as his two Sons, and was ordered to go and live with all his Family at a little miserable Village he has by Kexholm near the Ladoga Sea; so that at present Admiral Gordon is at the Head of the Russian Admiralty. The 20th Instant Baron Arnim, a Saxon General, and one of the King of Poland's Chamberlains, arrived at this Place.

Berlin, March 18, *N. S.* The Court of Beveren begins to talk of returning Home; and 'tis said that the Consummation of the Prince Royal's Marriage with the Princess of Beveren, is fixed for the latter End of May or Beginning of June, when the said Court will come hither again. The Dutchess of Beveren, who is with Child, expects to be delivered before that Time.

Copenhagen, March 22, *N. S.* The King of Denmark has now declared his Intention to visit Norway as soon as the Season of the Year will permit, and three or four small Vessels are accordingly preparing for the Service of that Voyage. The Privy Councellours and chief Men of Business named to wait upon his Majesty, are, M. Rosenkrantz, the Grand Chamberlain Plesse, M. Lewenoern, and M. von Hagen; the Viceroy sets out before. A new Sixty Gun Ship is now upon the Stocks, and the King comes often upon the Holm to see the Progress of the Work. Another of the same Rate, and one of 90 Guns, it is said are to be built this Year.

Whitehall,

Whitehall, March 21, 1731-2.

Whereas a Perſon unknown was lately found barbarouſly murdered in a Field about a Mile diſtant from Colcheſter: For the better diſcovering and bringing to Juſtice the Perſon or Perſons who committed the ſaid Murder, His Majeſty is pleaſed to promiſe his moſt gracious Pardon to any one of them (except the Perſon that actually killed the Deceaſed) who will diſcover his Accomplice or Accomplices, ſo as he or they may be apprehended and convicted thereof.

Holles Newcaſtle.

Navy Office, March 14, 1731.

The Rt. Hon. the Lords Commiſſioners of the Treaſury having appointed Money for paying of Half Pay to Sea Officers from the 1ſt of July 1731, to the 31ſt of December following, according to his late Majeſty's Eſtabliſhment on that Behalf: Theſe are to give Notice, that the ſaid Payments will begin to be made at the Treaſurer of the Navy's Office in Broadſtreet, at Nine a-Clock in the Morning, the following Days, viz, On Thurſday the 30th Inſtant for the Captains, Friday the 31ſt for the Lieutenants, and Saturday April the 1ſt for the Maſters and Surgeons; that all Perſons concerned may then and there attend to receive what may become payable to them, and not only bring with them the Affidavits required touching their not having enjoyed the Benefit of any publick Employment, either at Sea or on Shore, during the Time they are to be paid the ſaid Half Pay, but alſo produce Certificates that they have ſubſcribed to the Teſt, and taken the Oaths required by Act of Parliament to his preſent Majeſty: And in caſe any of the ſaid Officers ſhall not be able to attend themſelves to receive their Money, but employ Attorneys for that Purpoſe, that the ſaid Attorneys may produce the like Certificates and Affidavits from the Perſons they are employed by.

Wine Licence Office, March 16, 1731.

His Majeſty's Commiſſioners for managing the Duty ariſing from Wine Licences give Notice, that conſtant Attendance is given at their Office in Surry-Street in the Strand, for the Diſpatch of the Buſineſs thereof, on Tueſdays, Wedneſdays, Thurſdays, and Fridays, in the Forenoon, Holidays excepted.

South-Sea-Houſe, March 17, 1731.

The Court of Directors of the South-Sea-Company give Notice, that a General Court of the ſaid Company will be held at their Houſe in Threadneedle-ſtreet, on Friday next, the 24th Inſtant, at Eleven o' Clock in the Forenoon, purſuant to the Appointment of the laſt General Court, for the determining by what Means to pay off the Bonds of the ſaid Company.

Advertiſements.

WHereas Elizabeth Roberts, late of Llanrhaiader in Kinmeak, in the County of Denbigh, Widow, by Will left her Son John Pierce Twenty Pounds if he came to demand it, and if he came not, ſhe left the ſame to the Poor of Llanrhaiader aforeſaid; and the ſaid Elizabeth Roberts hath been dead about ſeven Years, but the ſaid John Pierce hath not yet demanded the ſaid Legacy: This is to let the ſaid John Pierce know, that if he applies to Richard Pierce, Executor of the ſaid Elizabeth, or to James Conway, Attorney, at Cotton Hall near Denbigh, in a Month from the Date hereof, he may receive the ſaid Legacy, otherwiſe it will be paid to the Poor aforeſaid.

TWO Leaſehold Houſes, being Part of the Eſtate of the Right Honourable William late Earl Cadogan, deceaſed, the one of them in Jermyn-ſtreet, lately inhabited by the Daniſh Envoy, with a Piece of Ground thereto adjoyning, and the other in Piccadilly, lately inhabited by Mr. Deering, are to be ſold together or ſeparately, purſuant to an Order of the High Court of Chancery, before Francis Elde, Eſq; one of the Maſters of the ſaid Court, at his Chamber in Symond's-Inn in Chancery-Lane, London; where Particulars may be had.

IN purſuance of an Order of the High Court of Chancery, the Creditors of William Booth Alleſtry, not Parties to this Suit, (Mortiboys et al' con Alleſtry et al') are forthwith to come in and prove their Debts before Samuel Burroughs, Eſq; one of the Maſters of the ſaid Court, at his Chambers in Chancery-Lane, or they will loſe the Benefit of the ſaid Order.

TO be peremptorily ſold, before Robert Holford, Eſq; one of the Maſters of the High Court of Chancery, on Monday the Eighth Day of May next, at Five of the Clock in the Afternoon, at his Chambers in Symond's-Inn, the Mannor of Bourton, in the County of Buckingham, Lett at 113 l. 10. or thereabouts. Particulars may be had at the ſaid Maſter's Chambers.

TO be ſold peremptorily, on Tueſday the ſecond Day of May next, at Ten of the Clock in the Forenoon, (inſtead of Wedneſday the 5th Day of April next, as was before advertiſed) purſuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, before Anthony Allen, Eſq; one of the Maſters of the ſaid Court, the Mannor of Dedham, in the County of Eſſex, and a Farm there of 80 l. per Annum, and ſeveral Farms and Premiſſes at Hackney, in the County of Middleſex, and Croydon in the County of Surry, late the Eſtates of Edward Ambroſe, late of Stock's Market, London, Gent. deceaſed. Particulars whereof may be had at the ſaid Maſter's Houſe in Curſitor's ſtreet, Chancery-lane.

WHereas a Commiſſion of Bankrupt is awarded againſt Richard Gregory, of Ouſter Place in Thames-ſtreet, London, Brewer, and he being declared a Bankrupt, is hereby required to ſurrender himſelf to the Commiſſioners on the 27th and 31ſt Inſtant, at Three in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London, and make a full Diſcovery of his Eſtate and Effects; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, and pay Contribution-Money, and at the firſt Sitting the Commiſſioners will appoint Aſſignees. All Perſons indebted to the ſaid Bankrupt, or that have any of his Effects, are not to pay or deliver the ſame but to whom the Commiſſioners ſhall appoint, but give Notice to Mr. Buckle and Mr. Sparrow, Attorneys, in Breadſtreet, London.

IN purſuance of an Order made by the Right Honourable the Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, the Commiſſioners in a Commiſſion of Bankrupt awarded againſt John Gabriel Bohman, of London, Merchant, intend to meet on the 6th Day of April next, at Three in the Afternoon at Guildhall, London, in order to make a further Dividend of the ſaid Bankrupt's Eſtate; when and where the Creditors who have not already proved their Debts and paid Contribution-Money, are to come prepared to do the ſame, or they will be excluded the Benefit of the ſaid Dividend, which will be forthwith made.

THE Commiſſioners in a Commiſſion of Bankrupt awarded againſt Slingsby Creſſy, of Brook-ſtreet, near Hanover-ſquare, Apothecary and Chymiſt, and Henry Garrett, his Partner, intend to meet on the 18th of April next, at Three in the Afternoon, at the Crown and Rolls Tavern in Chancery-lane, London, in order to make a ſecond Dividend of the ſaid Bankrupt's Eſtate; when and where the Creditors who have not already proved their Debts and paid their Contribution-Money, are to come prepared to do the ſame, or they will be excluded the Benefit of the Dividend, which will be fully made.

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